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Coming Events.

Jan. 28—Basket Ball, Bridgton Academy vs. Norway Regulars, Norway Opera House.
Jan. 29—Entertainment and dance, Grand Army Hall.

KEYBURG.

W. W. Freeman left Tuesday for a trip on the coast.
Several Masons visited North Conway lodge this week.
James Tarbox has taken a large lot of lumber to land on the river.
Colds seem to be the order of the day in town at the present time.
Walter Hurnell, our popular station agent, is doing some artistic work on a center table.
Walter Massfield is the busy man in town. W. W. Chaffee comes next, always right on the job.
35 pints of whiskey were unearthed by loggers working in the vicinity of the fair grounds recently.
The grand ball at K. of P. hall, Friday night, was well attended, some over 30 couples being present.
Sparring matches are the pastime in town to a certain extent. 4 oz. gloves are used in private bouts.
Gustus Ward is somewhat improved from his narrow escape by a cake of ice falling, striking him in the side.
David Haley brought in a large string of pickerel, Monday, from Lovell's pond. Some weighed 4 pounds and more.
Alice Haley was presented by her father with a fifty dollar violin. Miss Haley will commence taking lessons of a first class musician.
Eber Johnson, lately appointed deputy sheriff, served his first writ this week. Mr. Johnson is a highly respected young man, a staunch democrat.
The Freyberg Congregational church is having a series of meetings assisted by Rev. William Mann of Westbrook. Mr. Mann is an able speaker and any one will miss the opportunity that doesn't attend.
The factory and lumber mills are booming. Logs are coming in in large quantities, sawing from 12 to 15 thousand per day. The company employs 35 men. This makes a good little payroll for a small town.
John Eastman has lately returned from the Soldiers' Home at Togus. Mr. Eastman met several of his old comrades. Although he is 61 years old, he is well and saw a half cord of wood daily to pass time, says he could double the amount without any exertion.

MARRIAGES.

In Mexico, Jan. 18, by Rev. M. S. Howe, Geo. Johnson and Ann Murray, both of Portland.
In Norway, Jan. 15, by Rev. R. J. Bruce, Edw. M. Adams and Elizabeth Hutchins, both of Topsham.

BIRTHS.

In Canton, Jan. 15, to the wife of Arthur Farwell, a daughter.
In South Paris, Jan. 15, to the wife of Parabolow & J. J. Adams, a son.
In Mexico, Jan. 15, to the wife of Frank Peterson, a daughter.
In Mexico, Jan. 15, to the wife of John Metcalf, a daughter.
In Mexico, Jan. 17, to the wife of Carroll Anderson, a daughter.
In Mexico, Jan. 12, to the wife of George Hamilton, a son.
In Norway, Jan. 21, to the wife of Clement E. Ward, a daughter.
In Norway, Jan. 22, to the wife of H. M. Jackson, a son.

DEATHS.

In Harrison, Jan. 17, Mrs. Joanna Harmon, aged 92 years, 11 months, 20 days.
In Glenside, Dec. 2, Mrs. Emma J. (Cummings), wife of F. G. Lary, aged 50 years.
In East Waterford, Jan. 13, Arnold Lade, aged 27 years.
In Hiram, Dec. 28, Edwin R. Wadsworth, aged 33 years.
In Westboro, Mass., Jan. 15, William Henry Clifton Noble, aged 45 years.
In Rockfield, Jan. 17, Mrs. Margaret, wife of Charles P. Rowe, aged 65 years.
In Bethel, Jan. 27, D. Hannibal Grover, aged 75 years.
In Norway, Jan. 20, Mary Louise Lewis, aged 35 years.

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NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of
CORA E. FOSS, late of Norway in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately. Adm. January 17th, 1911. WALTER E. FOSS

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Norway, Me.

ALBANY.

Officers Installed.
Round Mountain Grange held an all day meeting Saturday Jan. 21. An invitation was extended to South Waterford and North Lovell granges and twenty-four responded to the invitation even if the weather did look bad in the morning and two were present from Upton grange. The officers of Round Mountain grange were installed by Rev. J. H. Little of Bethel, in an able manner, assisted by Fred McKean and wife of North Lovell grange, after which a bountiful dinner was served in the new dining hall just finished. Officers installed:
M. J. A. Kimball,
O. Ernest Grover,
Mrs. E. T. Jenkins,
S. Leon Kimball,
A. S. Cecil Kimball,
Chap. — Mrs. A. Kimball,
Treas. — W. E. Cummings,
Sec. — E. P. Cummings,
Pomons — Mrs. Charles Beckler,
Stew. — Maud Becker,
L. A. S. — Alta Cummings.

Amos Bean has been surveying land for A. L. Brooks of Greenwood.
D. A. Cummings has sold a flock of sheep to O. N. Abbott of Harrison.
D. A. Cummings is buying hides this winter. He shipped about 100 hides last year.
Potatoes are rotting badly. Apples are scarce and high and are rotting badly.
Mrs. A. G. Bean went to Oxford, Saturday to visit her son, Frank Bean who is very sick.
The cold snap we had Jan. 16 and 17 froze up the brooks and mud holes, also some pumps.
Leslie and Raymond Cummings have gone to West Bethel to work in the mill for George Rolfe.
Pulp business is rather dull this winter as the pulp buyers do not take green pulp. They take some dry peeled pulp.
Guy Johnson, who is driving team for the Paris Mfg. Co. in Crystal, N. H., came home for a few days last week. He visited his mother in Oxford and returned Monday.
Carrie Penley has gone to Connecticut to work.
Mrs. Mabel Bartlett visited at C. D. Conner's recently.
Mrs. Adine Conner visited at Geo. C. and C. D. Conner's last week.
Ina Good is spending a few weeks with relatives in Stark, N. H.
The selectmen of Albany will give a free dance at the town house, Saturday night, Jan. 28th. Everyone is invited.

WEST BETHEL.

A. F. Mason is visiting in Rumford.
Rolfe Bros' mill is now running full time.
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cole were in Portland last week.
Rev. O. J. Cupitt will be in Lewiston, Tuesday of last week.
Mrs. Clara Corey is caring for Mrs. F. L. Ordway who is ill.
Mrs. T. W. Vashaw and Frankie returned to Grafton, Saturday.
Lawrence Lowell, the second child of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Lowell, is ill.
Geo. Bennett has been confined to the house the past week with sore eyes.
Mrs. M. J. Scribner has returned home from a visit with her son Fred in Albany.
Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hastings are working for the Paris Mfg. Co. in Crystal, N. H.
Susan Tyler, who has spent several weeks here, went to East Waterford last week.
The Dennison Sales Co. have engaged Mildred Eaton of Portland for a stenographer.
El Grover, who has been at the C. M. G. hospital at Lewiston, returned home Saturday.
John Rollins has returned to Gilead, having completed his work on Mr. Leighton's mill.
The Chapel Aid will hold a special meeting, Thursday to decide upon church affairs for the coming months.
Francis Mills attended the basketball games between Gould academy and Gorham high at Gorham, N. H., Friday. Gould won both games. The score of the girls' game was 19 to 11 and that of boys', 32 to 17.

SOUTH CHATHAM.

Mrs. Bert Smith has rheumatism.
Mrs. Edward Lang is in poor health.
Mrs. Dana Hill fell and hurt her ankle badly.
Meeting in the schoolhouse next Sunday, Jan. 29.
Mr. Smith of Green has cut his leg below the knee.
Alice Manchester has returned to her duties in New York.
George Hill is getting out timber. Edward Lang is cutting it.
It is said the loggers have already landed 100,000 feet on Lower pond.
Bert Howard's aunt and his brother have visited him. His brother assisted in singing in our service.
Weston Head is rushing logs to the market. Some days they get out 3000 with a good four-horse team.
The ordinance of baptism was administered to Benjamin Johnson at his home, as he is very ill and 73 years old. He is a soldier of the Rebellion.
Mrs. Rosa Lock and daughter were at home Saturday from Fryeburg. They returned Sunday afternoon to Fryeburg.
Edward Johnson worked three days last week cutting timber for Seth Webb. He is kept at home most of the time by the illness of his uncle.

SOUTH HARRISON.

Rena Buck has been sick.
Ellen Rich has been visiting at Frank Chaplin's.
Mrs. A. C. Buck has had a bad time with her throat.
Mrs. Leavitt and grandson, David Green, visited at R. W. Fogg's, recently.
Charles Winslow of Mechanic Falls was at Frank Chaplin's the 15th, visiting.
Daniel Thompson has been hauling logs to Scribner's mill to be sawed into shingles.
Frank Chaplin has been hauling logs to Scribner's mill to be sawed into shingles. Henry Leighton helped him with his team.
Jim Pendexter has been on the sick list. Mr. Pendexter and wife have moved in with his son, Abdon, while he is at work for him this winter.
Seth W. Fife of Fryeburg has been nominated trial justice. Lewis Leavitt, Magalloway Plantation, dedimus justitia. H. F. Elliott, Rumford, justice of the peace.

OXFORD.

Ask your grocer for Turner's honey.
Mrs. Lizzie Holden has been ill at James L. Holden's house.
Mrs. Carlton Rowe of East Milton, Mass., and Mrs. Lizzie Edwards of Norway are at F. W. Lord's.
Arthur Churchill, who has been working for L. E. Smith, has accepted a position at Mechanic Falls.
Hard wood, brought in here, is being shipped to Auburn, Orono and Saco and pulp stuff to Berlin, N. H.
Mrs. George H. Jones entertained the M. E. circle, and Mrs. Etta Curtis the Congregational circle, the same day.
The Hays Guild met with Mrs. Frank Keene on Monday night, taking up the study of the Civil War and Women's Colleges.
The quarantine has been removed from the house of W. H. Gannon, where there was scarlet fever. Their son Will has been sick several weeks.
Ruth Lamb, Minnie and Alberta Kemp narrowly escaped serious injuries from jumping from a runaway team driven by Arthur Churchill, Thursday.
The public speaking in the High school which was to take place last Friday, has been postponed until Friday of this week.
Another year shows another hundred dollars knocked off the debt of the Oxford Building Ass'n., who have paid the interest on the money borrowed and elected as officers: J. B. Robinson; Sec., E. W. Edwards; Treas., Geo. Hazen; auditor, E. W. Edwards; directors, G. H. Jones, J. E. Parrott, A. S. Fuller, James Kay.

Ralph Edwards from South Paris was in town, Sunday.
Albert Willis has a new machine to saw wood with.
Frank Bean is very sick at his home and confined to his bed.
Thomas Coulton from Portland spent Sunday with his mother.
Edwin came home from his school at Hobson, Tuesday.
Henry Panetta and bride returned Saturday to their home in Woonsocket, R. I.
Mr. and Mrs. Leland Stone from Portland are visiting their parents for a few days.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moulton from South Paris were at their home in Oxford, Sunday.
The ladies of the Congregational society are busy getting the parsonage ready for their new minister.
Edgar Andrews is sick with rheumatic fever at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Andrews.
Rev. G. D. Holmes, District Superintendent of the M. E. society, will preach at the M. E. church, Sunday, Jan. 29.
John Baxter from Watertown, Mass., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Maria Heslop and Mrs. Walter Beck, for a few days.
The ladies of the Home Mission society of the A. C. church will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Bessie Trebilcock.
Mrs. Kate Hanscomb has returned to her home in Boston, after spending a few days with friends and relatives in town.
There was no service at the M. E. church last Sunday. Rev. Mr. Robbins being unable to attend on account of sickness.
Quite a number from out of town attended the drama and dance, Friday night, that was given for the benefit of the high school.
Charles Parrott from Lynn, Mass., who has been stopping here for a few days, his brother, George Parrott, returned to his home, Saturday.
Mrs. Bell Edwards and son Ivan were at the C. M. G. hospital in Lewiston to see her husband, Roy Edwards, who is there for treatment.
Hester Bean gave a birthday party, Thursday evening, it being her 5th birthday. Ice cream, cake and candy were served and games played, and a good time enjoyed by all.

FOREST STREET.

Harry Twitchell is sick with a severe cold.
Arthur Cummings and wife visited at Hebron, Sunday.
Mae Emerson spent Saturday and Sunday with her friend, Crystal Harriman.
Mr. Verrill, who lives on the Hobbs place, is working at the sanatorium, Hebron.
Jason Bennett, who is teaming for Leon Brooks, spent Sunday in Greenwood.
Alvin Lovejoy rode out last Saturday for the first time. He went to Oxford to see Dr. Faris.
Mrs. E. B. Twitchell enjoyed a visit from her mother, as father, Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. H. Jenkins.

BOLSTER'S MILLS.

Edith Turner has gone to the C. M. G. hospital in Lewiston for treatment.
Ed Scribner is passing the winter with his daughter, Mrs. Foster of Harrison.
The Ladies' circle will be entertained this week Thursday afternoon by Mrs. J. D. Howe.
We are glad to read the timely articles on brown-tail moths in the last issue of the OXFORD ADVERTISER. People in this vicinity should be on the alert as we notice many nests in trees about here.
At the meeting of the Easter Star, the officers for the year were installed by Matron Carrie E. Weston, assisted by H. L. Lowell, marshal and Jennie Akers, chaplain. Refreshments were then served. The following is the list of officers:
W. M. — Elizabeth Scribner.
W. P. — E. G. Clark.
Asso. M. — Fannie Wright.
Sec. — Etta Lamb.
Con. — Mabel Wilson.
Asso. Con. — Lila Skilling.
Ruth — Alice Wilder.
Elder — Lella Gay.
Marchioness — Marion Weston.
Electra — Alice Clark.
Ward — Harriet Maine.
Sentinel — Ruth Lamb.
Chap. — Jennie Akers.
Organist — Ethel Skilling.
The society has received more new members during the past year than in any other one year in its history. It is in fine standing financially.

EAST PARIS.

H. D. Tuttle is hauling pulp wood to South Paris.
S. O. Colby is hauling logs to the sawmill at South Paris.
O. E. Lawrence is hauling wood and timber to South Paris for Kenney and Penley.
Mrs. Addie Ottigton of Boston formerly of Andover, is very sick at the home of her aunt, Mrs. O. H. Colby. She is reported as gaining slowly.

GREENWOOD.

The Greenwood City School.
School at Greenwood City closed last Friday after a term of eight weeks, which began the following Monday after Thanksgiving.
School kept in about the usual order in the forenoon, and after dinner teacher and scholars enjoyed a treat which consisted of two kinds of home-made candy.
At Christmas time the pupils, twenty in number, gave their teacher, Elva Kimball, a beautiful handkerchief and box.
Della Cole, a little girl five years old who lives about a mile from the school-house, has attended school every day this term except one day when on her way to school she slipped down and had to return home on account of the nose bleed. While attending school this term she has learned to read mamma and baby; also the letters as far as X.
Pupils not absent one-half day are Ruth Cole, Hazel Cole, Bertha Cole, Simeon Farr and Henry Walker.

Earlier in the winter Mrs. Frank Ring received two green cotton balls from her sister, Lena Bliss, who is teaching in Southern Pines, North Carolina. One of the balls dried while on the way, but the other remained green for nearly a week so that its owner was showing it to her friends. At Christmas time she received some mistletoe and holly from the same source.
E. H. Maxfield took his first and second degrees in the Grange at Bryant's Pond, last Saturday.
E. H. Bliss of Westbrook, who has spent several weeks with his daughter, Mrs. Florence Ring, has gone to Groton, N. H., where he will remain a short time with another daughter.

A few from here attended the Rebekah installation at West Paris, Tuesday night. The Rebekahs and Odd Fellows from South Paris and Norway who were invited, arrived by special train about half past seven. A banquet consisting of baked beans, scalloped oysters, coffee and all kinds of cakes and pies, was served before the meeting was opened. Ice cream and cake were served.
School in district No. 7 taught by Annie M. Richardson of Norway closed Friday, Jan. 20. Parents and friends were much pleased with the closing exercises. The schoolroom was prettily decorated with evergreen and the following program was given in a manner deserving much praise:
Song, Happy greetings to all. School Recitation. Gertrude Harrington.
Song. Mary Harrington.
Song. Mrs. Marcella Swan.
Declaration. Bernard Harrington.
Recitation. Emma Burke.
Song, Happy school days. School Recitation. Nellie Harrington.
Song, There'll come a time. Emma Burke.
Reading composition. Grace Dearden.
Closing address. Edward Delaney.
Song, Columbia, the gem of the ocean. School Questions.
Song, Sweet threads among the gold. Emma Burke.
Pupils not absent during the two terms: Mary Harrington, Nellie Harrington, Bernard Harrington, Gertrude Harrington, Grace Dearden and Edward Delaney.

WEST SUMMER.

Mrs. Arabell Farrar Heath.
Mrs. Arabell Farrar Heath an aged and respected woman, who has lived in town most of her life, whom we all well knew, died Saturday afternoon, after ten days of severe suffering with acute bronchitis.
She has been a faithful wife, kind and affectionate mother, always ready to assist in time of sickness and death in her younger years.
She leaves a husband, two daughters, one son with whom she has made her home the past few years. She was in her eighty-sixth year.
Funeral Tuesday, Jan. 24th, C. G. Miller in attendance.
J. M. Buck, and Geo. E. Pulsifer were to Auburn the first of the week on business.
Hezekiah Farrar and wife of West Paris visited his mother, Mrs. Florence Farrar at K. P. Bowker's, Sunday.
The Bohemian Glass Blowers were in the place several times last week. It was reported a good entertainment with well disposed people.
The Snow Bound Reading Club met with Mrs. Hattie Jacobs, Thursday, Jan. 12. Election of officers for the next six months.
Pres. — Mrs. H. Jacobs.
V. Pres. — Mrs. M. Heald.
Sec. — Mrs. R. Byrson.
Treas. — Mrs. A. Blaine.

DENMARK.

Mrs. Geo. N. Colby had a few sick days last week.
Alphonse Hilton is in feeble health and in bad condition.
Mrs. Maud Witham was quite poorly last week, but is up again.
Elwood Pendexter and Geo. Gray were at Bridgton, Monday.
The High school and primary scholars have a high time sliding now.
Fernando Witham has cut down one of the large elms at the end of his house.
Mrs. A. H. Witham got a little set back in her condition last week, but is recovering her lost ground.
Albert H. Jones and wife, Mrs. Hattie Jones are to celebrate their Golden Wedding this week, Wednesday at 10 O. E. Hall.
George L. Wentworth with his double team took Albert H. Jones and wife, Hattie Jones and Mrs. Julia Leeman to Bridgton on business, Saturday.

EAST OTISFIELD.

Mrs. C. C. Foster has gone to Massachusetts to visit friends.
Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Brackett were at Peter Woods, Sunday.
Mrs. Vesta Frost of Norway is visiting her son, Frank E. Frost.
Mrs. G. F. Elliot of New York is stopping at her home in this place for a few days.
Where has the Webb's Mills correspondent gone? Wake up and write some items.
Several from this place attended the OXFORD ADVERTISER, Friday night and reported a fine time.
Mrs. Etta Chute went to New Gloucester the last of last week to see her brother-in-law who is sick.
John Kemp has a crew of men at work in his saw mill and is doing a rushing business. He also has several teams hauling wood and bark to Oxford.

Bethel Census. — Bethel village, 18th census 684. Bethel town, including village, 1890.
The census of 1900 gave Bethel village 722 and Bethel town including village, 1895.

NEW WASH GOODS

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SMILEY

We are receiving daily our new Spring Wash Goods, and we are ready to show them to you. Their dainty colorings, large assortment of patterns, and range of qualities make them the prettiest showing we have ever had. Surely some of them will be just what you are looking for as an evening, street or house gown. If unable to come to the store personally and see them in the piece do the next best, let us send you samples.

FLAXON—the new Summer fabric in plain and checks, very desirable for dresses and underwear, 32 to 46 inches wide, 18c to 28c yard.
LINAIRE, is a cotton fabric of exquisite finish and very even threads. It has a white ground in plain and checks with green, blue and lavender figures, 30 inches wide, 19c and 20c.
WHITE LINEN VOILE, very sheer and of beautiful texture, yet strong and serviceable, 27 inches wide, 50c yard.
SUESINE SILK, of standard reputation, silky and wearable. Comes in all the leading shades, 27 inches wide, 47½c yard.
HANDLOOM SILK, has all the beauty of Rajah. Very serviceable, has a beautiful lustre. Comes in Gray, White, Pink and Tan, 27 inches wide, 38c yard.
RUSSIAN CORDS, a silky weave similar to solesette. Has a white ground with colored stripes, 32 inches wide, 38c yard.
SHANTAMA SILK, the new fabric of the Season similar in weave to Handloom, with Rajah effect. Comes in Gray, Cell Blue, Tan, Light Blue, Rose, Lavender and Black, 27 inches wide, 33c yard.
KOREA SILK, a sheer fabric with figures of same color. Comes in all the beautiful evening shades, 27 inches wide, 24c yard.
HAMILTON POPLIN, a medium weight material, white with colored stripes. Excellent for dresses, waists and men's shirts, launders beautifully, 27 inches, 29c yard.
THE SLIP VOILE, a beautiful fabric in the voile weave, a goods suitable for all occasions. Comes in all colors, 27 inches wide, 25c yard.
SHADOW SILK, a very sheer silky material showing narrow invisible stripes of same color. Comes in White, Tan, Blue and Rose, 27 inches wide, 29c yard.
SET WEL SILK, rose with permanent glossy finish. Comes in Light and Alice Blue, Pink, Tan, Rose and Black, 32 inches wide, 25c yard.
SILK FINISH POPLIN, a medium weight goods, having an almost invisible rib, soft and beautifully finished, launders perfectly. Comes in all shades, 27 inches wide, 25c yard.
SOIESETTE, the universal favorite, soft and silky with permanent finish, washes nicely. In all colors, 32 inches wide, 25c yard.
PAWNEE MADRAS, about poplin weight, white ground with black hair-line stripes and figures, 33 inches wide, 19c yard.
HAIR-LINE JACQUARD, a figured madras with hair lines in black, excellent for shirts and shirtwaists.
PONGETTE, silky finish, medium weight, comes in Blue, Tan, and White, 27 inches wide, 15c yard.
DIMITY RAYISARTE, a sheer fine muslin with wide dimity stripes in white with Blues and Greens, polka dots, 27 inches wide, 25c yard.
HALOYON BATISTE, a dainty muslin with Blue, Pink, Lavender, and Yellow figures, 30 inches wide, 12½c yard.
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WEST PORTER.
Eugene Alley is very low at this writing.
S. L. Day is hauling oak to Kezar Falls to go into staves.
I. L. Hubbard is busy hauling pulp wood to Kezar Falls.
Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Norton called on Mrs. J. T. Libby, Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. L. A. French visited Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Norton and daughter, Sunday.
Harry Pratt has finished hauling his pulp wood and is hauling cord wood to Kezar Falls.
Brown tail moths are thicker than ever through this vicinity and the more they pick the thicker they are.
Dr. Ridlon of Kezar Falls was in this vicinity, Monday, with his automobile. The roads are smooth and nice now.
Mary Libby called on Mrs. Joshua Libby, Friday afternoon. Mrs. Libby has been confined to the house two weeks by sickness.

PROBATE NOTICES.
To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:
At a Probate Court held at Paris in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eleven, the following matter having been presented for the action, Supervisor hereinafter indicated, it is hereby ORDERED:
That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the NORWAY ADVERTISER, a newspaper published at Norway in said county, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Rumford on the second Tuesday of February, A. D. 1911, at 2 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.
GEORGIA L. PARKER, late of Lovell, deceased, with petition for probate thereof presented by Curtis E. Chapman, the executor therein named.
ADDISON E. HERRING, Judge of said Court. A true copy. ALBERT D. PARK, Register.

Your

If you can find a pair of shoes that do well to you the good quality to get Hart fine suits are extremely quality. that these MEN Men's \$20.00 and \$25.00 in Brown Checks made by Hart Schaffner Men's \$18.00 Suits Stripes, Tan and Grey made by Hart, Schaffner THE \$15.00 SUITS THE \$12.00 SUITS THE \$10.00 SUITS THIS IS NORWAY BOYS' LEGISLATIVE The Committee on the Game will give a Public State House in Augusta, Wednesday, February No. 8. An act to regulate Pond, or Lake Kooka, in Oxford County of Oxford, for same. SETH F. C. These sudden CO It is well to be the cold gets much of REXALL COLD TA The COLD TAB the cough. Your money back 25c each. At the Pharmacy CHAS Success SOUTH PA One Water is a good pound. It has a pleasant Another good drink and sold for thirty- convinced. E. Telephone 136-11.

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If you care to save some money, and at the same time get some unusually good things to wear, you'll do well to come here and let us show you the clothes we have marked down. All the goods we have are good qualities. You have a chance to get

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Men's \$20.00 and \$22.00 suits in Brown Checks and Stripes made by Hart Schaffner & Marx	\$16.00	One line Hart, Schaffner & Marx Overcoats, Convertible collars, regular \$22 grade, now	\$18.00
Men's \$18.00 Suits in Brown Stripes, Tan and Grey Patterns, made by Hart, Schaffner & Marx	\$14.00	Men's \$15.00 Overcoats in Black and Grey patterns, usual price \$15.00, now	\$12.00
THE \$15.00 SUITS ARE NOW,	\$12.00	All of the \$10.00 Overcoats left, in nice Oxford Shades, have been marked to	\$7.50
THE \$12.00 SUITS ARE NOW,	10.00		
THE \$10.00 SUITS ARE NOW,	7.50		

THIS IS A CHANCE FOR YOU TO SAVE MONEY H. B. FOSTER NORWAY, MAINE

BOYS and GIRLS
The committee on Inland Fisheries and Game will give a Public Hearing in its room at State House in Augusta, (State Museum), on Wednesday, February 1st, at 2 P. M.

No. 8. An act to regulate fishing in Tom Pond, so-called, sometimes called, Thomas Pond, or Lake Kooka, in the Town of Watford, County of Oxford, with petition asking for same.

SETH F. CLARK, Secretary

NEWRY.
Mrs. A. H. Powers is gaining a little. A. B. Frost is to be out of doors again.

Mrs. C. D. Bean and baby are better at this writing.

Frank Douglass is sawing wood for the people with his engine.

Quite a number of people went from this place to attend the wedding reception of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bean, Sunday River.

Here is a chance for boys and girls to sell 24 imitation gold shell teeth and receive a camera or watch free. This offer is made by the Roxbury Card Co. See ad in another column.

HARRISON.
Hattie Gray from Sweden is working at George Pitts.

Mrs. Frank Ricker has so far recovered as to walk out of doors.

Grace Morrow is in Portland being treated for a throat trouble by Dr. Smith.

Miss Milliken, teacher at the Center school, spent Sunday with Mrs. Fred Greene.

Marion Moulton of Sweden, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Flint and son.

A. S. Pitts and daughter, Mary visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hayes in Oxford.

Ralph Deering from Bridgton Academy visited over Sunday with his friend, Hobart Dennison.

The Literary Club was entertained last week, Wednesday by Bertie Burnham at her home.

Dorothy, young daughter of Joseph Pitts is very ill, a trained nurse from Portland is in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. John Blair of South Paris visited several days the past week with Alanson Daes and also at Geo. Flint's.

Mrs. Alvin Ricker fell Tuesday, in getting out of a sleigh, tearing the ligaments off an ankle bone. She will probably be confined to the house for several weeks.

WATERFORD.
Fred Wentworth was at Will Abbott's, Sunday.

Will Green is helping his brother Cyrus yard birch.

Frank Millett is at home and cutting wood for Mollen Plummer.

Mr. and Mrs. Urban Tyler visited Mrs. Tyler's parents the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sewall Abbott visited her sister, Mrs. Marston, of Lovell, Sunday.

Arthur Millett has taken the job of hauling pulp wood from the town farm to Norway.

The Watford basket ball team played with the Bridgton High, Saturday night, Score 25 to 10 in favor of Watford.

Charles Kingman and family spent three or four days at his camp on Hemlock Hill last week, where he is cutting wood.

GILEAD.
Mrs. Charley Ryerson is ill at this writing.

Eva Rowe and Ethel Smith went to Gorham, Saturday.

One of the guy wires is broken on the Suspension bridge.

Elmer Aldrich spent several days at his home in South Paris last week.

Mrs. Lizzie Sprague cut her finger badly last week while cutting steak.

Mrs. Harry Carter of Gorham visited her friend, Mrs. Wesley Wilson, recently. Coasting seems to be quite a fad this winter with the young people of this place.

Colby Ring has been quite ill for the past few days. Perley Bennett has been taking his place running the engine for Leighton's bobbin mill.

These sudden changes in the weather are liable to result in

COUGHS AND COLDS

It is well to be prepared by having something in the house to take before the cold gets much of a start.

WE WOULD RECOMMEND
REXALL GOLD TABLETS AND CHERRY BARK COUGH SYRUP
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The GOLD TABLETS break up the cold and the CHERRY BARK checks the cough.

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Your money back if they fail to benefit you. 50c for the combination or 25c each. At the Pharmacy of

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Water is a good drink but why not try some of our Tea at fifty cents per pound. It has a pleasing taste and that is what makes it sell.

Another good drink which makes your meal a success is a Coffee Blended and sold for thirty-two cents per pound. Try this Tea and Coffee and be convinced.

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So-Called Hopless Cases Cured.
What Proof Could Be More Convincing?

Consultation and Advice Free for the Remainder of the Month.

His treatment is directed not to making them feel better at first but to curing them entirely in the end. Indeed, in certain diseases the patients may feel no benefit whatever for two or three weeks. Some of the quickest and most permanent cures are those in which the benefit is not apparent to the patient in the beginning.

He first removes the cause of the disease and then a permanent cure can be established. He treats only chronic diseases and patients never tire of telling how they went to him after other good doctors had treated them and they were fit and how they were restored to health in a short time by pleasant home treatment. The cures include all kinds of chronic troubles such as catarrh, nervous, blood diseases and rheumatism. Any one may call on him and have a consultation free of charge. If he believes you curable or can be benefited he will tell you the cost of the treatment necessary but if he finds your case incurable he will tell you so.

Catarrh is the root and cause of many diseases. To cure them to stay cured it is necessary to remove the cause and so make the cure permanent. He guarantees that if the trouble should come back the patient may return for treatment without a penny for his services.

Sickness among women destroys happiness and wrecks homes. Many men are kept poor caring for sick women. Many women drag through a miserable existence to a premature death suffering from some form of disease which a specialist might cure. Female diseases are as easily cured as measles if one "knows how." It is the "know how" that is valuable. The expert specialists now at Beal's Hotel have spent many years to learn how to cure diseased organs of women. Please notice we said "cure the diseased organs of women." We do not mean tearing or cutting them out. Any surgeon can cut out an organ because it is injured but no one can put back an organ that is cut out nor make a healthy woman by such brute destruction. He has perfected a treatment that takes the inflammation out and heals up the damage by disease and allows sick women the precious life and organs that God gave her.

If you have any of the symptoms below you have female disease:

Do you bleed?

Have you Leucorrhoea?

Is urination painful?

Have you pain at stool?

Is the abdomen enlarged?

Are you weak and tired?

Have you fainting spells?

Is there nausea or vomiting?

Do you weep without cause?

Have you lost your ambition?

Are your menses absent?

Are your periods irregular?

Do you flow excessively?

Have you cold hands and feet?

Does your heart palpitate?

Have you pain over bladder?

Are you nervous and hysterical?

Is there numbness of the limbs?

Have you pain about the groin?

Have you pain in lower part of back?

Have you dark circles under eyes?

Do you have hot and cold flashes?

Have you heat or swelling about the parts?

Is there feeling of "goneness" in pit of stomach?

Have you piles or fistula?

Have you pain, smarting, or itching?

Call or send for symptom blank and learn if your case is curable, free. This notice means much more to sick women than the casual reader may realize.

Mrs. Davis, a well known lady of South Paris, says:—

I have had a severe case of Rheumatism for the past eight years and suffer continually.

I decided to try the Electro Medical treatment when I found those Specialists were in Norway.

When I first went to them for treatment I had to be carried in and out of their office. After the first few treatments I began to improve rapidly, and now I can walk in and out with little assistance.

I am relieved of pain and soreness and I sleep peacefully which I had not been able to do before for a long time.

It has also helped me in many other ways.

Mrs. Geo. H. Davis.

Norway, Me., Jan. 14, 1911.

I have taken the treatment of the Specialist at Beal's Hotel for lung and stomach trouble and now I am feeling the best I have since last June when I began to run down. I had Consumption in the first stages and a complication of the troubles. I had tried many kinds of medicine without results in my desperation for I knew the result if my case was neglected and I dreaded the thoughts of leaving my eight children alone in the world. Knowing the value of time and the danger of delay in my case, I determined to try the Electro Medical Specialist for I had heard much of their wonderful cures, and now I am so pleased and grateful that I want others to know of it so that they may be cured as I am.

Mrs. C. D. Morse.

If you have weak lungs remember catarrh leads to consumption.

Sorefoot, all kinds of Tumors, Diseases of the Stomach and Digestive Tract.

Those fearful Nervous Diseases of men and women, no matter from what cause arising—Paralysis, Headache, Prostration, Lame Back, Neuritis, Sciatica and Rheumatism.

Diseases of the Liver, Kidneys and Bladder, Male Troubles, Weakness (no matter from what cause).

Diseases of Women—Ulceration, Displacements, Falling, etc., Profuse, Painful or Suppressed Menstruation.

Consultation and examination free any day this month except Sunday in person or by mail. Address with stamp, The Electro Medical Specialist, Norway, Me. Hours 9 to 12 a. m., 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p. m.

SUNDAY RIVER.
Elmer I. Bean is sick with la grippe. Gladys Trask of North Paris visited at C. D. Bean's last week.

Trillian Bean has gone back to her school after an absence of three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eames and Little Frankie Baker were calling on relatives, Sunday.

NORTH WOODSTOCK.

Mrs. Lola Foster.

Again death has entered this neighborhood and removed from our midst our loved friend and neighbor, Mrs. Lola Foster.

She had been suffering since last April with that dreadful disease tuberculosis and all the while has maintained a cheerful heart and good courage believing that she was going to get better.

A week ago she began to fail rapidly and passed peacefully away Saturday, at 1, a. m.

She was a kind friend and an obliging neighbor always ready to give her help in sickness or trouble. All will sadly miss her.

She leaves a husband, a son and three brothers and one at her and a host of friends to mourn their loss.

Funeral at the house, Monday afternoon conducted by Rev. J. H. Little. Interment in Abbott's Mills cemetery.

Lewis Farnum began work in Tebbett's mill, Monday.

Ernest Sessions is working in the woods for J. H. Ackley.

H. A. Sessions purchased a pair of oxen of Albert Felt last week.

Robert Whitman from Massachusetts, visited his sister, Mrs. Elmer Billings, last week.

Mrs. C. A. Brown is somewhat improved in health but is not able to sit up much yet.

Alton Buch is doing chores for Mrs. Deborah Farnum and attending the Billings school.

Flora Sessions returned home from Norway, Wednesday, where she has been attending school.

Several from this place attended the drama at Bryant Pond, Friday night and report a fine time.

Shirley Mann has a crew of men out-cutting and hauling birch from his wood lot on the Harding farm to Tebbett's mill.

Mrs. J. H. Ackley returned home from the C. M. G. Hospital, Monday, very much improved in health. Grace Dyer has finished work for her.

LOVELL.

Mrs. Georgia J. Parker.

After a long and suffering illness the death of Mrs. Georgia J. Parker occurred at her home in Lovell on Sunday, Jan. 22, at 10:30 a. m. Mrs. Parker was 54 years of age. She was a very young and always did what she could for the church, also for the sick and afflicted. She was a member of the Eastern Star, and was beloved by all who knew her.

She leaves a son, a sister, and other relatives to mourn their loss.

Herman Merrill is gaining.

W. M. Beaton has been on the sick list but is better.

Ralph Littlefield was out with a pair of helves yoked up. They are quite handy.

Fred Harmon's little baby boy died Friday morning and was buried at No. 4 on Saturday.

S. L. Plummer is cutting the pine for Benjamin Russell on the J. A. Farrington place.

All members of Lake Kezar Encampment are requested to be present at the next meeting, Jan. 30.

Benj. Russell, D. D. G. master, W. L. Vance, D. D. G. warden, J. A. Fox, D. D. G. secretary, L. W. Cushman, D. D. G. treasurer, C. K. Chapman, D. D. G. chaplain, Frank Harmon, D. D. G. marshal, installed the officers of Oxford Lodge, No. 61, I. O. O. F., at North Watford, Saturday night. Quite a number from the lodge here went over and they are all telling what a fine time they had.

NORTH WATERFORD.

Uncle George Hobson is not as well. Lawrence Brown still remains about the same; no better.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Farmer were guests at Fred Hazelton's a few days recently.

Daniel Lebrone, who has just passed his 93rd birthday, has a bad cough and is in very poor health.

Fifteen from Watford Grange 479, visited Albany Grange's all-day meeting, Saturday, and reported a first class time.

Merritt Sawin of Albany has so far recovered from his sickness to be able to come here after a load of sawdust, Tuesday.

Linwood Flint has returned from his trip away, where for several months he has been to a number of states exhibiting his animals.

Jess Littlefield is running the engine this week at Brown's mill in Ed. Farmer's place. Mrs. Farmer has been very sick, but she is now gaining slowly.

The installation of officers of G. M. Knight Relief Corps No. 95, was held at the vestry Saturday, Jan. 14, and the following officers were installed by Mattie Black, assisted by Helen Nason:

President—Grace Elliott.

S. V. P.—Honor Bartlett.

J. V. P.—Carrie Plummer.

Sec. Sec.—Mary Dresser.

Con.—Mattie Black.

Assat. Con.—Ellen Nason.

Pat. Ins.—Mary Dresser.

Press Cor.—Rosa York.

Chap.—Mrs. Mary Dresser.

Chap.—Louise Knight.

Guard—Pauline Brown.

Asst. Guard—Esther York.

1st color bearer—Lucy Kilgore.

2d " " " " Annie Hadden.

3d " " " " Minnie McKee.

4th " " " " Dolcie Eastman.

Organist—Hazel Wardwell.

After the services a banquet was held which was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

NORTHWEST NORWAY.

Herbert Holt and Perley Bartlett have been helping Lester Flint cut wood.

Mrs. Perley Bartlett called on Mrs. Malinda Flint and Mrs. Alice Rolfe, Sunday.

Amos French recently visited his daughter, Mrs. Carrie Kingman, a week in Watford.

Leonard Flint and son, Leonard L. Flint, are cutting cord wood on their place known as the Dennis farm. Thaxter Doughty has been hauling pulp wood for Leonard Flint.

Mrs. S. Farnum was happily surprised on her 70th birthday, January 15th, by receiving a post card shower, numbering 120 post cards besides letters from distant friends with money in them. She received many cards from friends in Norway, Albany, Watford and other surrounding towns besides from Bangor, Boston, Mass., Dundee, Ill., Bisbee, Ariz., and one from Maryland and one from New Hampshire. She appreciates the attention bestowed upon her by her many friends and it gives her much pleasure.

E. E. Cross of South Portland wants to buy live poultry. See ad. in another column.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Cures all humors, catarrh and rheumatism, relieves that tired feeling, restores the appetite, cures paleness, nervousness, builds up the whole system. Get it today in usual liquid form or chocolate tablets called Sarsatabs.

Wm. C. Leavitt Co's

Business Reminders

Heavy Canvas Gloves, per pair, 15 cents.

Cotton Gloves for to wear hanging out clothes, per pair, 10c.

Quilted Mittens, very warm, per pair, 15 cents.

Fine Rice Pop Corn, six pounds, 25 cents.

Steel Shovels, good for snow or Saw Dust, good solid shovel, 50 cents each.

Corn Poppers, big for the price, 5 cents each.

Six Packs Toilet Paper, 23 cents.

Twelve Foot Pruners, 85 cents.

Fourteen Foot Pruners, \$1.00.

La Lo Sweeping Compound, lays dust and cleans it up, per pound 5 cents.

Axes from 75 cents to \$1.50, wedge and Maine Pattern.

Wood Wedges and Mauls.

We have not everything, but what we have is all right in price or quality.

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A SPECIAL SALE EVERY DAY AT BICKNELL'S

Jello, 08c
Can Corn, 08c
Hershey's Cocoa, 8 and 20c
Three Crow Spices, 06c
Peanut Butter, 18c
Best Catsup, 17c
Rio Coffee, 15c
World's Powder, 18c
Grandma's Powder, 15c
5 doz. Clothings, 10c
Mothers Corn Flakes, 08c
Package Tobacco and Pipe, 15c
Chocolate Chips, 15c
Box Key Stone Cigars, \$3.50

E. F. BICKNELL'S

Next door to Opera House
NORWAY, MAINE

Live Poultry Wanted

Mechanic Falls, Jan. 17, 1911
Mr. Cross—I read your letter and check to right and thank you for doing so well by me. When I have any more poultry to sell I shall be glad to send it to you.
Respectfully,
Mrs. J. E. BAIRD

E. E. CROSS

SOUTH PORTLAND, ME.

Ref. Fidelity Trust Co., Portland, Me.

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Stop the Cough, ease the throat. Clear the voice and are harmless. Send four cents for mailing and receive a sample FREE. 4c

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SOUTH PARIS, ME.

No. 178. This is a one and one-half story, single apartment cottage house of seven large rooms with pantry, closets and washroom combined; dry and roomy split stone cellar outside decorations consisting of three bay windows and piazza; large lot of two acres situated on an elevation commanding a fine view of the village. Nothing better. \$2000.

No. 179. A two story single apartment house of six rooms situated on Main street near street, electric station and mill. Also one undivided story now used for storage which with small outlay can be made into an extra rent. Quite a new building. For \$1200.

No. 179. The Shurtlett Grain Mill with all machinery complete, office furniture and good will, doing a profitable business; also included a small cottage house. Mill is of two stories 60x40 ft., about one acre of land. An investment proposition of a chance to make money in the grain business. Call and look at the property over. Price \$2500. Terms easy.

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NORWAY AND VICINITY
The town clerk, Stuart W. Goodwin, has recorded at his office for the year 1910, sixty-two births, twenty-five males and thirty-seven females. The number of marriages forty; number of deaths fifty-eight, thirty-four males and twenty-four females.
Freeman Frost has several gold pieces made from California gold, that his father, Peter Frost, got when in California. Mr. Frost values them highly because his father did. The gold is a deep yellow with a copper colored tinge, decidedly different from what we are accustomed to consider gold color. We saw one dollar piece of 1853; one dollar of 1856; two dollars and one-half of 1878; a quarter of 1893; and a half of 1895. The half is octagon in shape instead of being round. Mr. Frost says those in the form of octagon are used more for pocket pieces than for general circulation.

SWEDEN.
Waldron Charles is sick with pneumonia.
Bula and Daniel Ridlon are sick with the mumps.
Nettie Durgin is visiting her uncle, George Durgin, in Bridgton.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Emerson and son, Leon, visited the Samuel Ridlons, Sunday.
Maurice Emerson did chores for Charles Brackett, while he visited in Lowell.
Mrs. Sidney Gray has been suffering from an attack of gall stones but is more comfortable.

George Ridlon visited his father, Stephen Ridlon, in Bridgton, Sunday.
Mr. Ridlon is in very poor health.
H. W. Emerson is helping George Thompson haul wood to the head of Highland lake, which he will haul to Bridgton village.

BUCKFIELD.
Mrs. E. J. Marston went to her home in Brewer for a visit with her parents.
M. G. Farrar of Turner is teaming for George H. Hersey and boards with Frank Ryerson.

Mrs. James Irish, whose arm was seriously injured by a fall on the ice is making slow recovery.
Mrs. Ada Shaw and her mother, Mrs. Maria Tuttle, have gone to Melrose, Mass., to spend the winter with Mrs. Shaw's brother, Alton Tuttle.

Warren Camp, S. of V., mustered in three recruits at their regular meeting Tuesday evening, Jan. 24, making the total membership, forty-two. The officers for the ensuing year were installed Tuesday evening, Jan. 17, by Division Commander Charles H. Chase.

SOUTH OTISELDO.
Vena Lombard is at home.
Howard Ames is going to build a hen house.

Chint Nutting is hauling lumber to Kemp's mill.
Chester Lombard is working for Forrest Edwards.
Charles Tannay has sawed two thousand and cakes of ice this year.

Joe Fortier has bought the Ada Harmon farm on Scribner hill.
Ernest Winslow has been at home for four days, but he has returned to Paris.
Lansdown and family have moved back from Mechanic Falls to Scribner hill.

Forrest Edwards is shipping his Ben Davis apples to the depot. He has got a nice lot of them.

LOCKE'S MILLS.
Walter Curtis spent Sunday at his home at Curtis Corner.

Alma Swan of Portland is visiting her sister, Mrs. Cliff Swan, a few days.
Eva Andrews of South Woodstock is stopping at E. P. Farrington's a few days.

Mrs. Elmer Fiske and daughter, Mrs. Harold King were in Lewiston, Saturday.

Fred Bubier was taken to Lewiston to a hospital, where he will undergo an operation on his leg.

Mrs. Cora Perham of Bryant Pond, spent Thursday, with Mrs. G. R. Bartlett, who has been very ill with bronchitis. She is now improving.

The Locke's Mills girls' team played with the East Bethel girls' team, Saturday evening, scoring 8 to 3 in favor of the Locke's team. There was a dance after the game. They had a good attendance and a fine time.

The Changes of Time.
"Glad to see ye, sir—glad to see ye!" exclaimed the host. "Why, it must be—let me think—ten years since you came to our party."
"Yes, times change—ah?" replied the old gentleman meditatively.
"They do, sir," replied his host. "But you don't seem to suffer from that complaint. Your wife's changed more'n you if I may say so."

"Indeed!" said the old man.
"Ay, she looks thinner than when she was here last. Used to be—plump. Grown a bit taller, too, ain't she? Afraid she's not the same health, sir. She's not the same complexion."
"In fact," replied the old man dryly, "she's not the same wife."

INTELLIGENCE COLUMN
Twenty-five words or less, one week, 25 cents; second week, 15 cents; each additional week, 10 cents.
Each word more than 25—One week, 1 cent, and each additional week, 1 cent.
This price is for cash in advance. One and two-cent postage extra taken.

WANTED—Live unimpaired Canadian Hares (wild rabbits). Will pay \$20. Can use a few fine squirrels. Linwood Flint, North Waterford, Maine.

WANTED—Boarders or mealers. Also washing and ironing. Inquire at the corner of Cottage and Summer Sts., Norway, Me. Miss Florence Smith.

FOR SALE—Dry maple stove wood; also plenty of apples and cherries. It will be sold at 120 per pound. W. S. Back, Norway, Me. 27.

WANTED—Anyone having colored Berly in the rough to sell, will do well to call on J. H. Fletcher, (Confectioner), Norway, Me. Also gins to cut, price reasonable, satisfaction guaranteed.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—Middle aged, of house preferred. Small family on farm. Moderate wages. Good wages. Write to or call on J. S. Dudley, West Paris, Me.

Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

BOON COMPANION.

I LIKE to meet the man who laughs. Until he throws a fit. To work my ancient jokes on him. And see his fat sides split. I gladly buy him a cigar. Indeed, would make it two. To one who very kindly stands. And waits to hear me through.

I'm not afraid when he is near. The jest time tried to spring. Because I know that on the air. His merry laugh will ring. The ones that from the ark came forth. He seems to like the best. Although he will consent to laugh. At some more modern jest.

What do I care though kindness prompts. His laugh, and that alone? It pleases me as well as though. He cracked his funny bone. I take for granted that my yarn. At last has made a hit. That I am in his eyes at least. A most amusing wit.

There is a hint concealed in this. Though any one may wrest. The secret from its outer place. And give the thing a test. The way to be regarded as. The regular in informal dress. Is not to make the jokes, but be. The one who laughs at them.

Some Mistake.
"You are not the one who was here when I called last year," said the business visitor, looking down at the fussy little man seated at the desk.

"I am sure I am. I have been here ten years."

"I wouldn't have recognized you."

"There may be a reason for that."

"Yes?"

"Looking you over. I don't believe you are the one who called."

The Way It Works.
"Well, a rich man is apt to get into trouble."

"Explain."

"Brown had always been poor until last year."

"Well, what of that?"

"He got rich, and now he is being sued for alimony."

Reference.
"So he finally won her."

"Yes."

"I hear he had a hard time of it."

"It seemed that way. She was inclined to be doubtful."

"How did he manage it?"

"Got an affidavit from his former wife."

Johnny's Reason.
"I am not going to school today."

"Why not, Johnny?"

"I don't feel well."

"Where do you feel bad?"

"I have such a stomach ache in my ear!"

Good Job.
"Can I sell you anything, madam?"

"You can't."

"Why not?"

"Because I have been sold to the limit of the law already."

His Limitations.
He tamed the wildest tiger. And trailed him to his lair. He ran down the rhinoceros. And shot the polar bear. The elephant before his wrath. In terror wild would fly. But when the bill collector called. He couldn't meet his eye.

Oxford County Pomona Grange.
Oxford County Pomona Grange has arranged the following places of meeting and dates for the present year:

Jan. 2—Norway Grange, Norway.
Feb. 7—Franklin Grange, Bryant Pond.
March 7—West Paris Grange, West Paris.
April 4—Pleasant Valley Grange, West Bethel.
May 2—Mountain Grange, North Buckfield.
June 6—Hebron Grange, Hebron.
June 20—Scribner Grange, Upton.
Aug. 1—Bear Mountain Grange, South Waterford.
Sept. 5—Frederick Robie Grange, Otisfield Gore.
Oct. 3—Lakeside Grange, Harrison.
Nov. 7—Round Mountain Grange, Albany.
Dec. 5—Paris Grange, South Paris (annual meeting).
Com.—L. E. Motetire, C. S. Hamlin, A. M. Ryerson, A. E. Morse.

H. C. Black of Hebron has been appointed as State dairy instructor. Mr. Black has been the superintendent of the State sanatorium at Hebron for the past four years and is a graduate of the agricultural college of the University of Maine.

Stone in Bladder Removed in Remarkable Way.
Camp Hill, Ala., Aug. 16th, 1909.
Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.
A year and half ago I was taken with a severe attack of kidney trouble that pained me to such an extent that morphine had to be given me. Was attended by a doctor who pronounced it a stone in the bladder and prescribed Lithia Water. I took Lithia Water and tablets for some time and received no relief from them. I stopped taking medicine for some time and having some of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root in the house, I decided to try it and felt much relieved. While taking the second bottle commenced to pass gravel in urine, until I had passed in all at least a half a dozen more and have not suffered the slightest since and in all have taken one bottle and a half and feel very grateful to Swamp-Root.

Yours very truly,
H. W. SPINKS.

Personally appeared before me this 16th of August, 1909, H. W. Spinks, who subscribed the above statement and made oath that same is true in substance and in fact.

A. B. Lee,
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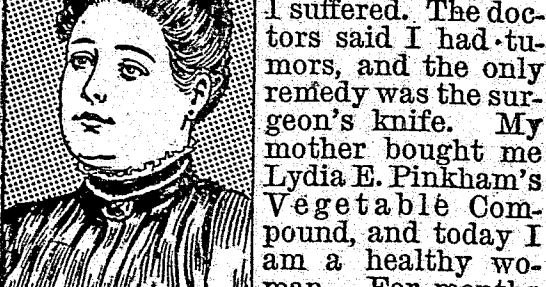
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WATERING PLANTS.

How to Regulate the Moisture and Have Fine Growers.

Proper regulation of moisture is the greatest factor in securing healthy plant growth. While plants can withstand great extremes in temperature, corresponding extremes in moisture will surely tend to ruin if not kill even the strongest plants.

Water should be given only when needed and then in such copious quantities that the soil is thoroughly soaked. When potting plants space should always be left at the top for pouring in water. An inch or an inch and a half will suffice.

Consider the kind of plant you are watering. Soft stemmed kinds, especially those with large leaves, will require much more water than hard wooded, slow growing kinds. While the former easily recover from drought, the hard wooded suffer permanently from extremes.

The character of the soil should also regulate watering. Heavy clay soils sour easily, while very light loam soils dry out quickly, and unless carefully watched in them will wither. In either case it is better to water thoroughly and less frequently than to water sparingly and often.

The seasons and time of day should also be watched. Plants not in active growth should be watered sparingly until they have regained their foliage. Watering in the evening just before dark greatly aids fungous diseases, as the foliage remains wet through the night.

How to Obtain a Supple Waist.
An exercise to strengthen the muscles of the back, hip and abdomen is the following: Lie quite flat upon the floor, all the muscles laid straight, arms folded across the chest, toes pointed. Raise the body to an upright sitting position and lower it gently to first position again four or five times. This will strengthen the muscles about the region called the waist line, giving the suppleness so much desired. A little of this goes a long way, remember, so be careful not to do more than the prescribed four or five raisings. At first it will perhaps be quite impossible to lift the body. If so catch the toes under the edge of a bureau or washstand, thus holding the feet down. This will enable even a weak person to do the trunk. It is sometimes as well to work up to this gradually by raising first the head only, then the head and shoulders, finally the whole trunk.

How to Clean Plumage.
If the plume is only slightly soiled it may be cleaned by being placed in a wide mouthed bottle, such as a fruit jar, and then being covered with gasoline to which a little white soap jelly has been added. It must be covered tight and left for twenty-four hours, shaking the contents occasionally. Take from the vessel and rinse in clear gasoline. Keep away from the fire. Another method said to be good is to cover the feather with a paste made from laundry starch and alcohol. When quite dry the starch should be shaken from the plume.

How to Cook Curried Eggs.
Cook six eggs in boiling water twenty minutes. Cool, remove from the shells, cut into quarters and arrange on a warm dish. Pour over the following sauce: Rub the bottom of a small frying pan with onion, pour in one gill of stock and place over the fire. Mix one teaspoonful of cornstarch and one-quarter teaspoonful of curry powder with one gill of milk and stir into the boiling stock. Season with one-third teaspoonful salt and a little pepper. Simmer for five minutes and then add teaspoonful butter.

What It Achieved

By LOUISE B. CUMMINGS

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Ed Archer and Molly Doyle were as children one of those couples we like to read about, but the stories of whose loves are rarely finished by marriage.

There was something enduring about the affair between Ed and Molly. At any rate, it lasted till Ed went away to college, and that is about as long as child loves usually last. In this case there was nothing on either side to indicate that during Ed's college course love was smoldering in his breast or that of his child love. There was no correspondence between them, and it either ever thought of the other no one besides themselves knew it. They missed each other when Ed returned for the only vacation he spent at home, and when he was graduated as a civil engineer a position was ready for him, of which he at once availed himself. Therefore they did not meet from the time he began his studies till two years after he had been bucking against the world.

When they did meet Ed was paying attention to a young widow of means. His mother was not well, and he left his work and his charmer to pay the mother a visit. While at home he called on Molly Doyle.

Now, it happened that Molly and Ed's widow had a mutual friend. So when Ed appeared Molly knew all about his intentions, or at least what appeared to be his intentions.

She came down to meet him with a letter in her hand. After greeting him she threw the missive on a table. It was addressed and stamped ready for the mail. Molly wrote a large hand, and it didn't require a microscope to read the name of the person for whom the letter was intended. Indeed, one could decipher it from across an ordinary sized room.

Molly was not especially cordial. She did not let it appear that she expected any return of that sweet interchange of sentiment which marks a child love. Ed made approaches to ward speaking of it, but met with no encouragement. The conversation turned upon Molly's friend, who was also the widow's friend, and this led to some mention of the latter, but Molly did not speak of her as a matter of interest to her or her visitor. If she had any feeling about the widow she didn't show it.

Ed's call lasted a couple of hours. When he arose to depart he asked: "Is the letter on the table for the mail?"

"It is."

"Let me post it for you. I pass the office on my way home."

"Thank you very much."

She handed him the letter. He put it in his pocket and took leave.

The next evening he called, bringing with him some flowers. Molly softened a little at the gift. When he spoke of how many flowers he had given her when they were children she said that now he spoke of it she remembered them very well.

"By the bye," said Ed, "on leaving you last evening I was so engrossed with the pleasure of meeting you again that I forgot to post the letter you committed to my care. I have brought it back to you, thinking that after the delay you might wish to reconsider sending it."

There was an odd look in Molly's eye and a faint tinge of color in her cheek. Instead of looking disturbed over Ed's forgetfulness, she looked rather pleased.

"Tonight as you pass the office will do as well," she said and spoke of other matters.

The next evening Ed called again. This was three evenings in succession. He brought her a more substantial gift than flowers—a glove box, handsomely inlaid. She received it graciously.

"It is for atonement," he said. "Atonement for what?"

"A bad memory. Again I have forgotten to drop your letter in the mail."

She gave him a forgiving smile, what else could she do after the glowing gift?—and said:

"Oh, it doesn't matter. Put it in as you go by tonight."

"You are very kind not to scold me. I shall keep my mind on it from the time I leave you."

"On the mailing or the letter?"

"The letter."

This evidently meant something more than the words, for Ed spoke them with his eyes fixed on her intently, and she dropped hers to the floor.

During the next call Mr. Archer made upon Miss Doyle he made no mention of the letter—at least until he arose to go. He brought her a gift, but kept it in his pocket till his visit was finished. He had a great deal to say about their childhood days—more, indeed, than he had to say about the eight or nine years that had passed since, during which he had made no effort to communicate with her or to see her. Indeed, on this latter subject he maintained a discreet silence.

It was near midnight when, having told her that he had loved her ever since he was a boy and could never love any one else, he took out his gift—a ring—and slipped it on her finger. She made no objection, since she had consented to a betrothal. Before leaving he threw the letter he had again failed to post on the table.

"Did it contain a 'Yes' or a 'No'?" he asked.

She opened it and displayed a sheet of blank paper.

"What do you do to keep your hands looking so nice?" "I don't do anything,"—Buffalo Express.

Wrinkles and Krinkles.

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Bridgton Academy Alumni.

More than forty members of the Bridgton Alumni Association, mostly residents of Greater Boston, gathered at the Quincy House, Boston, for their tenth annual reunion and banquet Friday night, January 21, 1911, and after dinner listened to informal talks extolling the past and prophesying the future of the institution that is the alma mater of many distinguished Bostonians and figures of national prominence.

Commander Robert E. Peary, at one time a student of the academy, was expected to be present, but disappointed his fellow members.

Professor John F. Moody told of the progress being made at the Academy, and stated that for \$105, yearly a student could have the best of board, a steam heated room, as well as the benefit of the best possible instruction.

Other speakers were Dr. D. O. S. Lowell, head Master of the Roxbury Latin School; Prof. Isaac Choate, Prof. C. C. Spratt; Ernest E. Smith, member of the Boston City Council; Henry H. Savage; George B. Chandler, State Senator from Conn.; Nellie Stone and Mrs. Harriet Hancock Eldridge.

The following officers were chosen for the ensuing year:

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Chap.—Dr. George M. Dodge.
Sec.—Helen Mead.
Treas.—Willis Carlsie.
Chairman of Executive Board—Henry H. Savage.

What Is a Dollar?

The Rev. George Wood Anderson of St. Louis, himself chaplain of an advertising club, recently made a few remarks before the Virginia Publicity Association of Boston on the almighty dollar.

"A dollar is not an insignificant thing. It is of great value. Here is a dollar—what is it? Legal tender, says one. It is more than that; this dollar is part of my life. It is one of my yesterday's. I worked hard the other day and earned a dollar. In the evening I could have thrown it away, saying that money is nothing, but I looked at it and said:

"This is all I have in tangible form of one day of my life; tomorrow I need not work, for my yesterday will secure the services of someone else who can perform my task. But I prefer to keep the dollar and earn another, and thus as I guard my health in order to take care of the future, I guard my dollars which are my past. My dollars are my yesterday, and I shall save them until I have sufficient of them to work while I sleep. Only the product of their effort makes sure a well cared-for old age free from worry."

Mains & Dolly are transferring their baseball bat manufacturing business from Sandy Creek in Bridgton to Fryeburg in order to be nearer their source of supply of white birch timber. The firm name has also been changed to Mains, Dolly & Ward of Fryeburg. The senior partner is Willard E. Mains, the well known baseball player.

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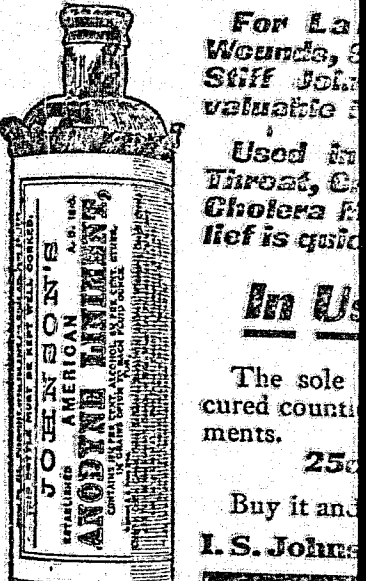
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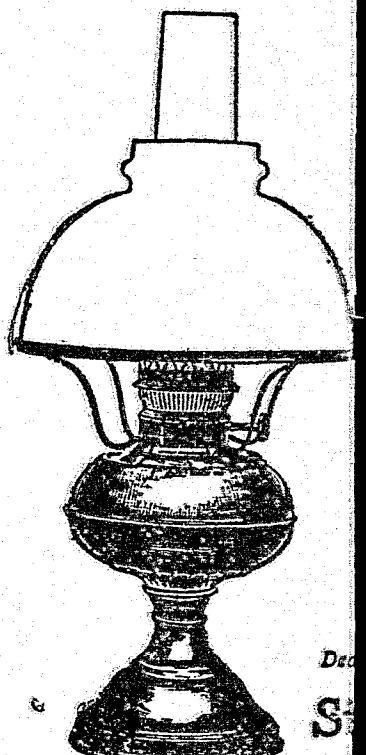
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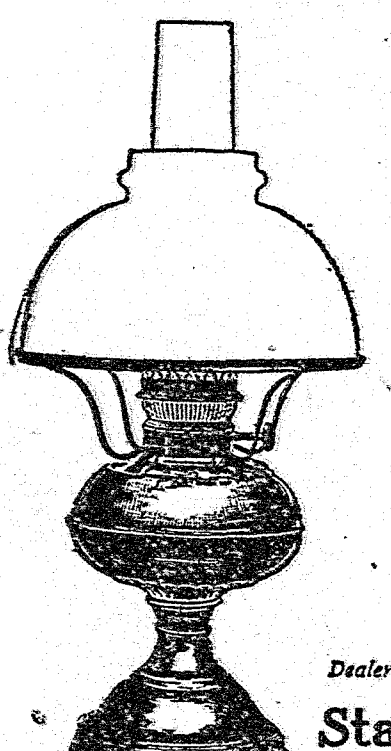
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ALBANY.
Laurie Lord has sold his interest in his gasoline engine and its belongings to Arthur Bean.

Emma Hutchins of Mechanic Falls, who has been staying with Mrs. M. F. Lord, has gone to Bethel to assist Mrs. E. C. Bowler for a few weeks.

The Benefit of the Town.

BY HELOISE E. HERSEY.
Part II.

It was curious—but true, that most of the good times in Otisfield from 1865 to 1875 were the children of the "Hearse Fund." It was before the days when Village Improvement Societies, Young People's Societies of Christian Endeavor, and church societies vied with each other to justify and sanctify amusements. But here was an object which could not fail to command the respect of the gravest of church deacons, and which made indulgence in ice cream and cake and lemonade and picnics and an occasional concert or reading or lecture a positive religious duty.

So the young folk of the town ate, drank and were merry. Many a young man of Otisfield, and many a young woman, trying to get a good education, and forgetting that it was all about, but Abby never took 10 cents for a plate of ice cream, or reckoned the profits of a picnic down the pond or deducted the expenses of the minister from Waterford who came to lecture for the benefit of the fund, that she did not remember what she wanted and why she wanted it. No cathedral was ever built with a loftier or more honest purpose.

In June, 1872, the fund had grown to \$286.83. The sum required was \$300. That had been long agreed upon with a Boston firm whose work had been tested by the villages in the region. At the close of a fine June day at the Otisfield girls came running to Abby Dean's house to beg her to come up and see mother, who was having a terrible sickening spell. When Abby reached the clean bedroom where Mrs. Holden had been a prisoner for three years, she saw on the small expressionless face the look which dignified but once the human countenance. Mrs. Holden could scarcely speak, but she was weeping a warm flood of tears, and out of it she took a bundle of bills which she put into Abby's hand with a whisper, "For the hearse," and then there was a flutter and a sigh, and the wife of Walter Holden had gone to join him.

The money, doubtless the personal savings of several years, was found to be \$50—and in an instant the fund was complete. It was Abby's quick thought to telegraph to Boston for the hearse, that it might be used at Mrs. Holden's funeral; it was suitable that so large a benefaction should have such poor acknowledgment as might thus be given. Abby Dean never talked about her emotions, so nobody will ever know whether she wept or not, or whether the last crowning gift to the fund for which she had worked for eight long years should have come from Walter Holden's grateful and incapable widow.

The hearse was eminently satisfactory to every one. It increased the self-respect of the town. From the minister to the grave digger, from the children to the old folk not long for this world, there was a new interest in a funeral, and a new connection with grief. Abby Dean's connection with all this was recognized by making Leander the driver of the vehicle. This gave her access to the little lean-to of the Baptist meeting house which the town built for the burial of the dead. In August, 1873, she saw that the hearse was kept spotlessly free from dust or mud, and was a more diligent care-taker for love than could have been hired for money.

Twenty years drew out their quiet length, and the hearse was kept in the meadows and farms and village of Otisfield. Abby Dean was 55 years old, but still vigorous and comely and capable—the strength of the Baptist society and the feeble Methodists, but the friend and comfort of everybody. In August, 1893 she lost her appetite. She had some company just then, and her two nephews were growing boys, and she found the work in the kitchen heavier than usual. There was a great deal of cooking for those boys and their father. They lived in Iowa, and Abby's cooking tasted good to them. Her Johnny-cakes were yellower and sweeter, and her baked beans browner, and her pies more toothsome, than those of any other cook. Abby was an excellent housekeeper. Leander, too, had not been so strong as usual that summer, and yet it did seem as if everybody wanted him for some small job. Abby did not believe in idleness, but it seemed to her just then that she and Leander needed a rest. She had been trying for two months to find a day when he could fix the kitchen drain. It certainly had a break in it somewhere, and she noticed that her sink was not as sweet as usual. She thought the drain would have gone, and she and Leander would attend to that drain the first thing.

When the boys went, however, their active, genial aunt felt too sick to think of the hygiene of her kitchen, and in two days she took to her bed. Dr. Richards looked grave over the case, and the second day called it typhoid fever, and in less than two days the disease had gone. Abby was very ill, and free for other and larger activities than those which had blessed the little town of Otisfield.

Afterwards Mrs. Martin, who nursed her, used to relate that in her wandering talk Abby had told her that when she was raising the money for the hearse, and had gone over and over again the addition of the small sums of dollars and cents in a strenuous effort after accuracy. But there was no suggestion of the present trouble, and her murmured, incoherent sentences. The hearse had established itself in her mind as an institution. She rested serenely in the thought of it, as a man might in the consciousness of a vast philanthropy, or even a medieval artist in their noble churches.

Now a strange and cruel thing had happened while Abby lay so sick in her little house opposite the Baptist meeting house. It was a boy, that the little house of delirium hid it from her. The town had voted at the May meeting to have the hearse painted and varnished, and had appropriated \$25 for the purpose. Thanks to Abby's care, it had stood the wear of 20 years, but now it would be improved by a visit to the repair shop.

In August the carriage maker in the neighboring town of Norway had had a leisure week, and had determined to go to Otisfield for the hearse, which he had promised to put in good condition at his earliest convenience. He drove slowly away with it on Monday. The next Monday Abby Dean died. No one had quite the energy to send for the hearse, even if it had been certain that it was in condition for use.

Abby herself would have been the one to meet such an emergency if it had happened while she was alive. Leander was so bewildered by his sudden loss that he had no thought for more than the dumb loneliness of the moment. The day of the funeral came, and in the August moonlight the long procession

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made its slow way from the Baptist meeting house to the cemetery on the hill a half mile away. Everybody from the country round was at the funeral. Three or four people remembered Abby's interest in the purchase of the hearse, and were sorry that the plain coffin covered with a black double sheet, borrowed from Mrs. Martin for the purpose, was carried in the new grocery wagon, which looked strangely incongruous with its bright-yellow wheels and its red, black burden.

On Thursday the hearse came back from Norway, with its shining new coat of paint and varnish. Leander Dean sat on his doorstep with Abby's brother, who had been summoned back from Chicago by the death of Abby. The hearse passed the house, Leander speaking more to himself than his companion, "Sein," she set so much by it, it does seem kinder too had she couldn't have the good of it; but I suppose it's just about the same to her now."

PARIS.
Mrs. Arthur S. Hall of Buckfield, was the guest of Mrs. Harry Hall at Miss Mellen's over Sunday.

J. B. Cole and son expect to go soon to Keno, where they will put in large ranges and ovens similar to those built at Poland Spring House, last year.

There have been about one hundred new books added to the Public Library during the last quarter. Twenty-five of these are the gift of Hon. John P. Swasey.

Mrs. Agnes M. Slattery of Paris and Arthur Davis of Woodstock, were married Sunday, Jan. 15th by Rev. G. W. F. Hill. They will live on a farm near Bryant Pond.

The first supper and social at Cummings Hall this season was held Thursday evening. In spite of the cold there was a very good attendance and all enjoyed the first-class supper and report a fine time.

One of the smartest turnouts on the streets of this town was made by the five year old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Andrews, who drives his cup, Kip hitched to sled and makes a very attractive showing.

The carpenter finished work on Mr. Case's red house last week. So many changes have been made, including the new well with the run-down which can be used as an open-air chamber and bath, two floors through out as to make this an almost new house.

SAVES TWO LIVES.
"Neither my sister nor myself might be living today, if it had not been for Dr. King's New Discovery," writes A. D. McDonald of Fayetteville, N. C. R. D. No. 8, "for we both had frightful coughs that no other remedy could help. We were told my sister had consumption. She was very weak and had night sweats but your wonderful medicine completely cured us both. It's the best I ever used or heard of." For sore lungs, coughs, colds, hemorrhage, lagrippe, asthma, hay fever, croup, whooping cough—all bronchial troubles—it's supreme. Trial bottle free. Send \$1.00. Guaranteed by The Noyes Drug Store.

SOUTH CHATHAM.
Thomas Dresser had a fall and is very sore, a bad shake up.

Henry Stiles has exchanged his steers for a heavy yoke of oxen.

George Hill is getting up wood for Edward Lang. Mrs. Lang is feeling poorly.

Over forty at meeting at Green Hill, Jan. 15. Meeting at schoolhouse here at 10.30, Jan. 22.

Benj. Johnson is poorly again. Mrs. Anna Johnson, has a sore neck and a bad ulcerated tooth.

An error in report of Bert Howard, should have been November, and not October that he took his game.

Mrs. Reed of Portland and her daughter have been visiting Mrs. Reed's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orborn Anderson.

C. E. Manchester came from Boston, Mass., to visit his sister Alice and to get a glimpse of the mountains dressed in winter. He is the son of Rev. L. C. Manchester, who was rector of St. John's Episcopal church in Lowell, Mass., for 36 years. He is now secretary of the Diocese. He now lives on Joy street, Boston, Mass.

WILSON'S MILLS.
Most of the cement teams are done.

Dr. E. C. Frisbee has returned to Lewiston.

Mary and Ashton Wilson have returned to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Leach have been visiting in Berlin and Colebrook.

Ray and Isabelle Linnell have both gone to the Maine General hospital for appendicitis.

A physician from Colebrook was called to attend Mrs. D. C. Bennett, who has nervous prostration. She is better.

A public installation of the officers of the Grange and a box supper was held at the hall Saturday night. Proceeds \$21.70.

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Wills presented: William Henry Caldwell, Rumford; Ayres Mason Edwards (foreign), Cambridge, Mass.; Nathaniel Farnum, Woodstock; Joseph W. Bean, Bethel; John C. Sawyer, Stoughton; Lewis M. Brown, Paris; Joel Foster, Hebron; Leander T. Barker, Bethel.

Wills allowed: Mary E. Powers, Newry; Levi M. Powers, executor; Nathaniel Trask, Bethel; Elmer Trask; Mercy M. Berry, Rumford; Elsie Pratt; Marshall C. Strout, Canton; Palfra S. Strout; Solomon S. Rowe (foreign), Boston; Geo. F. Stebbins; John Hapgood, Bethel; Geo. J. Hapgood; Chas. W. Frost, Hebron; Daniel Frost. Petitions for distribution: Mary Ann Warren, Hebron; Hosea B. Whitman, Mexico.

Petitions for administrator: Marcellus E. Tucker, Mexico; Roscoe A. Peabody, Greenwood; Joseph F. Benson, Sumner and Lawrence L. Searle, Ward. **Administrators appointed:** Walter E. Foss, estate Cora E. Foss, Norway; Tallyrand G. Lary estate, Emma S. Lary, Gilead; Archelaus Dale estate, Sarah J. Dale, Paris; James S. Wright, agent; Nance W. Stanton, estate of Edward W. Stone, Sweden.

Petitions on Col. Inh. Tax: Lavinia B. Holt, Norway; Amos Haley, Fryeburg; Romanzo C. Lowe, Andover. **Petitions for license to sell real estate:** Abram Richards, Mexico; Henry M. Tuell, Paris; Delia P. Tyler, Bethel; Joseph Fortier, Rumford.

Accounts filed: George Farris, Oxford; Lavinia B. Holt, Norway; Virgil E. Whitman, at all wards, Mexico; Esther Welch, ward, Norway; Elizabeth S. Davis, Denmark, trust; Herbert W. Cummings, Bethel; Peter Wheeler, Bethel; Annie E. Cummings, Bethel; John and Ellis McKee, wards, Paris; Charles H. Adams, Rumford; Romanzo C. Lowe, Andover; Lydia E. Heald, Fryeburg; Mary Ann Warren, Hebron.

Inventories filed: Amasa B. Robbins, Norway; Albert C. McOrillis, Norway; Columbus C. Farnum, Canton; Angelo Siedel, Nancy's Plantation; Joseph L. Oliver, Bethel; Abigail Webster, Sumner; George E. Grover, Bethel; Orris Powell, ward, Upton; Carl W. Hayes, ward, Woodstock; Henry M. Tuell, ward, Paris; Frank P. Withington, ward, Buckfield.

Accounts allowed: Sarah Stevens, Waterford; Louisa S. Smith, Hebron; Carl B. Whitman, Mexico; Lucy Chase, Woodstock; Allen Bailey, Rumford; Clifton F. Rhodes, Buckfield; Nettie C. Maxim, Bethel; Clara A. Ames, Norway; Mary A. Randall, trust, Fryeburg; Hosea B. Whitman, Mexico; Amos Haley, Fryeburg; Thomas O. Jordan, Albany; Edwin C. Rowe, Bethel; Elijah B. Goddard, Bethel; Charles B. Cummings, Norway; Maud M. Bolster, ward, Paris; William M. Fifield, ward, Bethel; Ethel L. Ellingwood, ward, Paris; Sadie Conant et als, ward, Buckfield.

Guardians appointed: Roscoe F. Staples of Guy H. Foss and Carl B. Farris, Oxford; and Archie S. Cole of Archie B. Bass, Albany.

Distribution ordered in estate of Clara A. Ames, Norway.

Estate of Austin J. Hayes, Greenwood, represented by executor, James S. Wright and William F. Jones, commissioners.

Adoption of Alta W. Searle granted to Asa G. and Ada M. Smith, name changed to Smith.

License to sell real estate granted in estates of Austin J. Hayes, Greenwood; Amasa B. Robbins, Norway; Florilla A. Burham, Gilead; Joseph Dougless, Porter; Lester W. and Percy E. Walker, wards, Lovell; Aldana Merrifield, ward, Denmark.

Allowances granted to widows in estates of Austin J. Hayes, \$400; Ezra Marshall, Hebron, \$389.44.

Two were committed to the Home for Feeble Minded besides a large amount of routine work.

SOUTH WOODSTOCK.

Harry Sanborn is working for E. B. Davis.

Elia Sanborn is working in the shoe shop at Norway.

Supr. Ernest F. Clason was in the place on business, Wednesday.

Elmer Davis is sick with pneumonia. There is a trained nurse in attendance.

Fred Andrews has finished work for Howard Maxin in Bethel, and is now stopping at home.

Geo E. Stevens went to Oxford to visit his father, Dr. Orrin Stevens, Saturday, returning Monday.

Rev. Montgomery of Portland held services at the Advent church, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings.

Ivan Tuell of West Paris visited Harlan Andrews, Tuesday. He starts for his new home in Massachusetts, Tuesday.

Litchin day will be observed in the Union school with exercises by the pupils. The children are cordially invited to attend.

Marion Curtis is working in the telephone office at West Paris, while Ethely Davis is at home on account of her father's illness.

The Rumford Falls Times quotes Attorney Nathan G. Foster as authority for the following: "A few weeks ago a fellow and girl came here and asked me to marry them. They did not know that a license was required so I went with them to the clerk's office and they arranged the matter. I told them to come back at a stated time and I would marry them. The day designated the fellow came alone and said he was ready to be married. 'Where's the young lady?' I asked. 'Why,' replied the fellow, 'has she got to come too?' The fellow thought it queer that I couldn't perform the ceremony unless the lady was present, but went out and soon returned with her."

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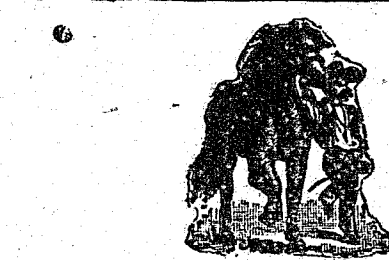
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